

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant:	Bernd Betz et al.	Examiner:	Nikolay K. Yushin
Serial No.:	10/575,798	Group Art Unit:	2893
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Title:	PROCESS FOR PRODUCING AND APPARATUS FOR IMPROVING THE BONDING BETWEEN A PLASTIC AND A METAL		

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This Amendment and Response is in reply to the Non-Final Office Action mailed June 8, 2009. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: